part, and part 431 subpart E of this chapter.

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#### § 483.206 Transfers, discharges and relocations subject to appeal.

- (a) "Facility" means a certified entity, either a Medicare SNF or a Medicaid NF (see §§ 483.5 and 483.12(a)(1)).
- (b) A resident has appeal rights when he or she is transferred from—
- (1) A certified bed into a noncertified bed: and
- (2) A bed in a certified entity to a bed in an entity which is certified as a different provider.
- (c) A resident has no appeal rights when he or she is moved from one bed in the certified entity to another bed in the same certified entity.

# Subparts F-H—[Reserved]

## Subpart I—Conditions of Participation for Intermediate Care Facilities for the Mentally Retarded

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#### §483.400 Basis and purpose.

This subpart implements section 1905 (c) and (d) of the Act which gives the Secretary authority to prescribe regulations for intermediate care facility services in facilities for the mentally retarded or persons with related conditions.

# § 483.405 Relationship to other HHS regulations.

In addition to compliance with the regulations set forth in this subpart, facilities are obliged to meet the applicable provisions of other HHS regulations, including but not limited to those pertaining to nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin (45 CFR Part 80), nondiscrimination on the basis of handicap (45 CFR Part 84), nondiscrimination on the basis of age (45 CFR Part 91), protection of human subjects of research (45 CFR Part 46), and fraud and abuse (42 CFR Part 455). Although those regulations are not in themselves considered

conditions of participation under this Part, their violation may result in the termination or suspension of, or the refusal to grant or continue, Federal financial assistance.

### §483.410 Condition of participation: Governing body and management.

- (a) Standard: Governing body. The facility must identify an individual or individuals to constitute the governing body of the facility. The governing body must—
- (1) Exercise general policy, budget, and operating direction over the facility;
- (2) Set the qualifications (in addition to those already set by State law, if any) for the administrator of the facility; and
- (3) Appoint the administrator of the facility.
- (b) Standard: Compliance with Federal, State, and local laws. The facility must be in compliance with all applicable provisions of Federal, State and local laws, regulations and codes pertaining to health, safety, and sanitation.
- (c) Standard: Client records. (1) The facility must develop and maintain a recordkeeping system that includes a separate record for each client and that documents the client's health care, active treatment, social information, and protection of the client's rights.
- (2) The facility must keep confidential all information contained in the clients' records, regardless of the form or storage method of the records.
- (3) The facility must develop and implement policies and procedures governing the release of any client information, including consents necessary from the client, or parents (if the client is a minor) or legal guardian.
- (4) Any individual who makes an entry in a client's record must make it legibly, date it, and sign it.
- (5) The facility must provide a legend to explain any symbol or abbreviation used in a client's record.
- (6) The facility must provide each identified residential living unit with appropriate aspects of each client's record.
- (d) Standard: Services provided under agreements with outside sources. (1) If a service required under this subpart is not provided directly, the facility must